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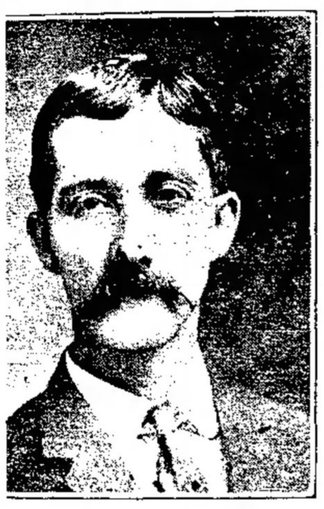
Wednesday February.... 21

F. H. SHUTTERLY ELECTED BURGESS

By a Majority in Each of the Three Wards.

esterday's election was the most ly contested in the history of the ough, as it was also one of the fairest tions ever held. The fight was not ralized in any particular ward, but contested bitterly at every point. ugh there was a good attendance at y polling place, everyone was quiet orderly. No one could tell what results would be until after the ballwere counted. It was the "quiet" that decided the election. The vote e First Ward for Burgess was a sur-



F. H. SHUTTERLY.

to many, as it was thought it d be strongly Republican. The in the Second Ward was almost ly divided for Burgess, while Mr. an won out for council. The Rran ticket received more support in lind Ward than many supposed it l, yet the Citizens Ticket won out. is some misunderstanding regardvote for the different candidates ouncil in the First Ward. We ow the vote for the different lates:

BURGESS.

rly	184	217	78—479
	147	212	51—410

COUNCIL.

ral	141
g	209
	118
an	247
n	178
k	66
	56

TAX COLLECTOR

318	407	123

JUSTICE of the PEACE.

ne	301	389	110

SCHOOL DIRECTOR

n 173
105
on 307
ter 270
125
116

JUDGE of ELECTION

293
r 344
47
48
r 26
e 34

INSPECTOR

155
58
88
on 223
52
use 101
65
42

F. H. SHUTTERLY'S BIOGRAPHY.

F. H. Shutterly, our newly elected Burgess, was born in Coal Center, Washington county, Pa. on August 19, 1857. All his school education was got in the public schools, which he was not permitted to attend regularly. His early life was spent in the coal mines, where he worked for sixteen years, commencing at the early age of ten. He then went to W. Va., where he ran a sawmill for two years. His next work was firemen for two years on tow boats running between Pittsburg and Cincinnatti. He spent the next five years as stationary engineer in the mills at Braddock. He also worked in the furnace department for the Edgar Thompson Co. for 2 years. He then built a foundry at Blairsville, Pa., which he ran for nine years, when it was destroyed by fire. When he first came to Monessen, he was employed in the boiler house of the American Tin Plate Co, which position he held for four years. When the co operative store was started, he was elected manager. This position he held only four months when he resigned to again enter the boiler house of the Tin Plate Co. He was recalled by the stockholders of the co-operation to act as receiver. On January of last year he bought out the co-operative store from the trustees and has since conducted the business.

In 1882 Mr. Shutterly was married to Miss Laura McCracken, of Mannington, W. Va. To them seven children were born: E. Earl, Chas. Ray, Carrie, Sara, Genevieve, Thelma and Virginia. E. Earl is employed as book-keeper by his father, Chas Ray is a rougher in the Tin Plate mill. The other children who are old enough are in the common schools. Both Carrie and Sara are members of the High school.

Mr. Shutterly was first interested in politics at Coal Center, where he was a member of the Council. He was afterward chairman of the Republican Committee and has always taken an active interest in politics. He has always been a Republican, but in the local elections has supported the man who would give a square deal. He is a member of the Methodist church and has taken an active part in church work. He is a member of the following lodges: Odd Fellows, Knights of Malta, Royal Arcanum and American Mechanics. He has been a representative to the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows and is elected to represent the Monessen Lodge at the next regular meeting of the Grand Lodge. Mr. Shutterly, by his affable manner and honest treatment of his fellowmen, has made friends wherever he went, as is evidenced by his election yesterday in the face of such strenuous opposition.

Shutterly Thanks Friends.

I wish to thank my friends who have stood by me so loyally in yesterday's struggle and also desire to thank the Independent for its efficient and generous support, which proved so valuable in keeping the issues before the public in a forceful effective manner. I feel the responsibilities placed upon me and again assure the people that I will enter upon the duties of the office of Burgess untrammeled by any promises or pledges except those given publicly to the people, which I will faithfully redeem to the best of my ability.

Very Respectfully
F. H. SHUTTERLY.

Congratulations in Order.

Dear Dallas

Accept my congratulations on the partial fulfillment of your desire to rather be defeated ten times by Shutterly than once by Derrickson.

Sincerly,
C. M. DERRICKSON.

INTERESTING NEWS

Gathered by Our Reporters in Monessen and Vicinity.

"The Irish Pawnbrokers" at the theatre tonight.

For fine photos try Cowan 459 Schoonmaker avenue.

Light's White Pine and Tar kills coughs. Nuf ced. 88-tf

J. H. Arnold, the plumber, is a Pittsburg business visitor today.

Dr. Barben, Dentist — Gold crown and bridge work a specialty.

C. B. Hamilton of Pittsburg, was registered at the Grand yesterday.

Does your cough hang on? Kirk's Laxative Keytone will cure it.

Jos. B. Crowthers of Coal Center, was transacting business in town yesterday.

Brushes!—If you need one see Light and get a good one.—Light's Drug store.

Try the Monessen Laundry special lace curtain department, satisfaction guaranteed. tf

Almond and Cucumber Cream—try it for face and hands — Light's Drug store. 88-tf

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Booth of Berlin, N. H., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Booth of this city.

Kirk says "Got a little baby in your home?" We sell Talcume, Creams and all supplies for baby's comfort.

Miss Lillian Bachman who has been visiting Mrs Bertha Courtwright the past week, has returned to her home in Chicago

There will be a meeting of the Women's Club in the parlors of the Presbyterian church Thursday afternoon A full attendance is requested.

What Soap do you use? A pure Olive Oil soap is best for the average skin. Kirk is giving special value in a pure olive oil castile soap at 15c the pound cake.

The Independent force wishes to thank A. P. Musick for the box of cigars which was so generously presented to them for the purpose of showing his appreciation of its support.

The Van Dyke-Eaton Stock Co. will be at the opera house all next week with a change of program nightly. Clever specialties will be introduced and they are deserving of a good house each night. The company played here last season and everyone was well pleased with them. Miss Odie Eaton is the leading lady.

ARE YOU HUNGRY?

If so just call on the Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church tomorrow evening, when they serve supper in the basement of the church and you will be well fed.

Dinner 35c, Served from 5 to 10.

Just see the bill of fare

RELISHES
Cold Slaw Sweet Pickles
Inda Relish Celery
ROAST
Roast Beef Brown Gravy
VEGETABLES.
Potatoes Sugar Corn Tomatoes
DESSERT
Pie Cake
Tea Coffee
Ice Cream extra

Notice.

I desire to thank the citizens and taxpayers of Monessen very sincerely for their loyal and earnest support, and will endeavor to fill the office of council to which they have elected me to the best of my ability.

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This is your chance for bargains as winter is not half over.
H. J. Bearer & Co.
449 and 451 Donner Avenue.

FOR SALE.

1 Three lots on Donner avenue between Eighth and Ninth streets, each..... $1250 00

2 Fine lot on Forest avenue, quick sale, this is $50 less than party paid for the lot in 1903, owner going to California and desires to close the lot out..... 350 00

3 A bargain, lot No. 920, corner of First and Knox avenue, one of the best home sites in Monessen, price $1000 if sold quick.

Also lot at corner of Ninth and McMahan, owner of these two lots is going to leave town and desires to sell quick..... 500 00

4 Nice residence property all in good condition, 6 rooms and bath, two full lots, Knox avenue, near First street..... 4500 00

5 Good income property, large eleven room house with bath and laundry, well situated on Schoonmaker avenue, between Fourth and Fifth street..... 5500 00

6 Large lot, 82 feet front by 157 feet deep, corner Reed avenue and Fourth..... 1500 00

7 House and lot on Reed avenue, six rooms and bath, all in good condition, rents well or is a good place for a home..... 3400 00

8 Vacant lot on Donner between First and Second street..... 1250 00

10 Fine building lot on corner of Linden and Oneida, quick sale..... 400 00

11 Five room house on Schoonmaker avenue, between Fourth and Third..... 3500 00

12 Vacant lot, No. 127, corner Second and Schoonmaker 1700 00

13 Two five room houses, McMahan Borough, $1500 each, cost $300, balance on monthly payments.

14 Small piece of Pittsburg coal, seven lots near the Borough line of Monessen, a bargain for some one who wants to get into the coal business in a small way, can be easily opened and but a short haul down hill to any part of town, also some good West Virginia coal lands for sale.

15 A very desirable residence property situated on McKee terrace between first and second streets 6 rooms all in excellent condition, price $3,100 if sold quick.

We also have some excellent bargains in residence property situated in Belle Vernon, Pa. If you are looking for a farm, call and look over our list of Pennsylvania and Ohio farms from two acres up. If you want to trade your improved property in Monessen for an Ohio farm, call and look over our list and talk with us.

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FOR RENT

List of Properties for Rent by E. Jeffries at Monessen Savings & Trust Co.

1	Six rooms and bath, Reed avenue, water free	$25 00
	Three rooms, Reed avenue, water free	15 00
2	5 rooms and bath on Donner Ave. between 2d and 3d St.	22 00
	Three rooms, Reed avenue, water free	15 00
	Four rooms and bath on Third floor, Donner avenue, water free	16 00
3	Four rooms and bath, second floor, Schoonmaker and Fourth, water free	18 00
	Four rooms and bath, third floor, Schoonmaker and Fourth, water free	16 00
4	Five rooms and bath on Second floor, Donner avenue, water free	20 00
5	Six rooms and bath, corner Maple avenue and Fourteenth street	20 00
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	Five rooms and bath, corner Maple avenue and Fourteenth street	18 00
6	Rooms and bath Cor. 6th St. and McKee Avenue	18 00
7	Six rooms and bath, third floor Schoonmaker avenue	18 00
	Six rooms and bath, Reed avenue	20 00
	Two rooms, first floor	8 00
10	Four rooms and bath, third floor, Donner avenue, water free	17 00
11	Five rooms and bath, second floor front, Donner avenue, water free	25 00
14	Six rooms and bath, corner Second and Schoonmaker, water free	25 00
16	Large store room, 22x92 feet, cemented cellar	65 00
17	Hotel, Glassport, Pa., twenty-five rooms	35 00
18	Small store room, near Second street and Donner avenue	10 00
19	Storeroom, Donner [illegible]	

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THE result of yesterday's election furnishes abundant material for the student of reform movements. Monessen has shown in no unmistakable ways, her desire for a clean administration of her municipal affairs. She has relegated to the rear those who in the past thought a public office a snap, and has brought to the front representative citizens with clean records. Monessen is an enterprising community and deserves a government befitting her enterprise. We congratulate Mr. Shutterly on his thus receiving so high a testimonial at the hands of our people as to his worth as a man and fellow citizen. But we congratulate also that goodly number of voters who regardless of partisan appeals to party duty, dared to vote for what they thought was for the common good. The mandate that went forth on yesterday was spoken of by the highest citizenship of Monessen and is significent. May it portend that wise councils shall prevail, fractional discords cease and civic virtue in larger measure be ours.

"Gie Us a Lead."

Dean Hole in his book, "More Memories," tells an amusing story of how an old woman got the better of her clergyman in an argument. The village churchyard was overcrowded except on its sunless northern side, in which the suicide was buried. One day the vicar, while visiting a poor old woman who was nigh unto death, thought he would try to get her consent to be buried in the roomy northern plot. He began by assuring her that the common aversion to burial in any particular portion of consecrated ground was a silly prejudice and a foolish superstition. Then he besought her, as a personal favor to himself and as an example to others, to permit her body to be buried in the northern plot of the churchyard.

The old woman thought it all over for a few minutes and then answered, "Well, sir, as you seem to think as one part of the churchyard is as good as another and that it makes no difference where we be put, perhaps you'll gie us a lead."

The vicar did not grasp the argument, but he changed the subject.

His Mission.

Skrawler—I've seen Snippem, the tailor, going up to your studio every day for a week. Is he sitting for you? Dauber—No. He's laying for me.—Cleveland Leader.

He Needed the Money.

"But is an operation absolutely necessary, doctor?"

"Certainly! I've got to have a vacation next month."—Smart Set.

Observation.

To behold is not necessarily to observe, and the power of comparing and combining is only to be obtained by education. It is much to be regretted that habits of exact observation are not cultivated in our schools. To this deficiency may be traced much of the fallacious reasoning and the false philosophy which prevail.—W. Humboldt.

There Was Cause.

"Have you fastened the windows, dear?" she asked as they were about to retire for the night.

"No. What's the use? I gave you the last dollar I had to buy that hat, and we need not fear burglars."

"But they might sit down on my hat, you know."

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By DONALD ALLEN

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"Look a-here, Betty Spooner, I should like to know what on earth has ailed you for the last two weeks. You've gone around actin' as sulky as a coon with a sore foot, and you've got me'n father so upset we don't know what's goin' to happen."

It was the wife of Farmer Spooner and the mother of the eighteen-year-old Betty who spoke as above one morning while she was washing the dishes and Betty stood with her back to her in the open kitchen door.

"Two weeks ago," continued the mother, as she wiped a yellow platter, "you was singin' around and walkin' on your toes and plannin' what was goin' to happen when you and Reuben got married. Then all to once you begin to sulk, and from that time on nobody's been able to say whether you had the toothache or the heartache It's my opinion that that barbed wire fence man who stayed here overnight

HE TOLD OF WAR, BATTLES AND PERSONAL ADVENTURES.

and had so much gab to him brought about the change. I want to know what's the matter."

"Nothing," replied Betty.

"I know better. In the first place, that fool of a fence man praised your hands and feet and eyes and got you stuck on yourself. In the next, you had a quarrel with Reuben and hain't spoke to him since. In the third, if you don't stop worryin' me'n pa and all the rest I shall forget how old you are and box your ears. Most girls when in trouble of any sort come to their mothers for advice. You've kept right away from me instead, and so I can't tell what's on your mind. Have you broken out with a rash or anything?"

"Of course not."

"Got a boil?"

"No."

"Pains or aches anywhere?"

"No."

"Have pa or I said anything to hurt your feelin's?"

"Not at all. It's just that I—I don't feel like singing and cutting up."

"Oh, I see," observed the mother as she finished the last plate and hung up the dish towel to dry. "Well, I can tell you one thing. If this keeps on much longer you'll go to bed and drink quarts and quarts of lobelia tea and have horseradish drafts put to your feet. Pa wants apple dumplin's for dinner, and I shall expect you to make 'em."

Reuben Warner had been Farmer Spooner's hired man for a year. He was a young man of twenty-two and was always referred to as being as smart as a whip. He was a go ahead fellow, with a hundred dollars saved up, and he and Betty had been in love almost from first sight. Outside of an occasional tiff the course of true love had run smooth until the barbed wire fence man appeared. He was a good talker and a boaster and a braggart. He told of war, battles and personal adventures until Reuben sat with his mouth open and Betty looked upon him as one of the heroes of the earth. His stay was only for the night, and Betty might have forgotten him by noon next day but for Reuben. His jealousy had been excited, and next morning he had something to say about burglars and liars. Betty felt called upon to take the side of the man who had compared her eyes to the brightest of stars, and it didn't take long to bring about a row.

"If you were only half as brave and chivalrous as he is I should be proud of you," announced Betty.

"If I could lie once while he does ten times I could make you believe beeswax was honey," replied Reuben.

"You are jealous."

"And you are foolish."

"Mr. Warner!"

"Miss Spooner!"

That was the way it began, and of course things grew worse instead of better. Betty knew that her mother would support Reuben in saying that she was silly, and so she withheld her confidence, but at the same time she had something of a contempt for her fiance when she remembered that the only adventure of his life was in being run over by a yoke of oxen. Reuben went about trying to whistle and sing and make out that he did not care, while Betty was so quiet that her mother had cause to charge her with sulking. She made the apple dumplings that day, and she helped wipe the dinner dishes and get a custard under way for supper, but after that she went off down to the barn to be alone and think.

The mow had been filled with new hay, and she climbed a ladder and found a nest back against the end of the barn. There in the semi-twilight she not only thought all kinds of thoughts, mostly about Reuben, but sometimes she sighed and sometimes she gritted her teeth. In this way she succeeded in getting up considerable emotion and in tiring herself out, and by and by she fell asleep. One of her last thoughts was that Reuben was no chevalier, but only an old poke who would live and die without even falling down a well. When she awoke it was dark, and there was a grumbling of voices on the floor below her.

Miss Betty had sulked and slept for hours. When she did not appear at the supper table she was supposed to be at a neighbor's, and night fell without anybody being alarmed about her. At 8 o'clock Reuben started out to see her home, but stopped first at the barn to see to the horses. Ten minutes before he left the house the girl on the hay mow carefully dragged herself forward until she could hear what was being said below, and she soon made out that a gang of four or five tramps had slipped into the barn and was plotting robbery.

Her heart began to beat in a way to choke her, and she couldn't have cried out to save her life. She heard Reuben shut the kitchen door after him and whistle as he came down the path, and she heard the tramps getting ready to attack him as he opened the door. It was only when the door swung open and a match was struck to light a lantern that Betty rolled over and over on the hay and managed to shriek out:

"Oh, Reuben, look out! There are robbers here!"

There was a rush for the hired man. There were shouts and oaths and blows from below and screams and shrieks and calls for help from above, but the battle was over before Farmer Spooner and his wife got there. Reuben had found a neck yoke at hand and gone in to break heads, and five tramps who had thought to find him an easy prey had gone down under his rain of blows and were doing a good deal of groaning and begging.

"Land o' massy, what was it?" asked the farmer and his wife in chorus.

"I—I guess Betty's up there," replied Reuben as he looked upward.

"Y-yes, I'm here," humbly replied the girl.

"And what have you been doin' up there?" asked the mother.

"Getting over the sulks."

"And have you got over 'em?"

"I guess so."

"Then you come down here and quit actin' like a goslin'. That fence man may have captured fifteen cannons in the last war, as he bragged about, but Reuben has licked five monstrous big tramps without goin' away from home or ruffin' up his hair. If that don't make him one o' them shevaliers you are always talkin' about then I don't know pumpkin pie from gooseberry bushes."

Dry Water.

"It has been so wet for the last three or four years," remarked Truthful James, "that a good many people have forgot how dry it used to be. I remember one year when the Missouri river was dusty all the way down from Kansas City to the Mississippi. Of course the river was running all the while, but the water in it got so dry that it turned to dust and blew away. I took a boat down the river at that time, but it was so dusty on the boat that you couldn't see the hind end of it when you was standing on the front end. It was a little the worst I ever see. My mouth got so much grit and dust in it that I could strike a match on the roof of it any time. One day the boat got stuck in fifteen feet of Missouri river water. It was so dry and dusty that the wheel couldn't turn. What did we do? Well, sir, we went out and hired a farmer to haul fresh well water for fifteen miles to mix with the river water until it was thin enough to run the boat through."—Kansas City Journal.

Meaning of the Word "Omaha."

The name "Omaha" bears testimony to the long journey of the people and reveals some of the causes which brought about this breaking up into distinct tribes. It is composed of two words, which signify "going against the current," or up the stream. The Omahas were the people who went up the stream, while the Quapaws, their near of kin, went, as their name reveals, "with the current," or down the stream. The traditions of both these peoples say that the parting occurred during a hunting expedition, each division finally settling in the lands whither they had wandered apart. This epochal hunt must have been centuries ago, for the Quapaws bore their descriptive name in 1540, being mentioned in the Portuguese narrative of De Soto's expedition as then living on the Arkansas river, where they dwelt until 1839, when they ceded their long occupied lands to the United States.

Scale For Men's Hosiery.

The fact is not generally known that men's hosiery measures in inches from toe to heel the same number as the size. For example, size 8 is equivalent to eight inches, and this standard rule applies with similar effect upon smaller or larger sizes. Half hose not so conforming in measurement is commercially regarded as imperfect stock.

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A Number of Out of Town Guests Present and all Report an Enjoyable Evening.

A large crowd attended the dance given by the Lady Macabees in Kelly's hall last evening, the affair being an entire success. Refreshments were served in the ante room and a very satisfactory sum was realized. A large walnut cake was also raffled off, which was won by Mrs. D. O'Rourke.

Greening's orchestra was engaged for the occasion and furnished the music in a manner pleasing to all. Quite a number of guests from surrounding towns were present. The management and committee deserve praise for the creditable manner in which everything passed off.

Dancing was kept up until a late hour, when all retired to their homes, evidently well pleased with the evening's enjoyments.

GNEIZER ELECTED

Whole Independent Ticket is Elected and Proposed Ring Falls Flat

In McMahan Boro yesterday, G. A. Gneizer, the Independent candidate defeated Taylor Osborne for Burgess. It was the hottest election the new Boro has experienced, the entire Independent ticket being elected. Following is the vote.

Burgess.	
Taylor Osborne, c	22
G. A. Gneizer, I	30
Council	
Warren M. Park, c 3 yrs.	22
A. C. McMahan, c 3 yrs.	29
A. J. Beistel, c 2 yrs.	23
Ernest Fellows, c 1 yr.	24
A. J. Madigan, c 1 yr.	23
Edward Curry, c 1 yr.	22
C. F. Ball, I 3 yrs.	29
Alec Linblomd, I 2 yrs.	26
School Director	
L. L. Wentzel, c 3 yrs.	25
John Kriebrook, c 2 yrs.	23
Milton Schoffstal, c 1 yr.	24
Z. L. Heilman, I 3 yr.	28
Taz Collector	
Z. S. Tower, c	2
Auditor	
Wm. Lamont, Jr. c 3 yr.	22
Wm. " Sr. c 2 yr.	20
Aug. Guiser, c 1 yr.	28
Maurice W. Lewis, I 3 yr.	26
Geo. Kingare, I 2 yrs.	27
Wm. S. Lewis, I 1 yr	26
Inspecter	
H. L. Pickering, R.	13
Michael Madigan, D.	14
Assesor	
O. I. Wolsey,	2

Real Estate Prospects Bright.

The prospects are exceedingly bright this coming spring for a very active season among the real estate agencies. Our city was never in a more thriving condition, all the mills and other industries are in full operation and that Monessen will experience another prosperous year, is beyond doubt. Several properties have already changed hands, among them that of Mrs. Mary Schawecker of Sharon, which was sold to Mr. Andrew Hill of this place through the agency of Shuster & Loeb. The property consists of a ten room house, building and three lots. Other large deals are pending and that Monessen will see another big real estate boom this spring is an assured fact.

AT THE THEATRE.

"The Irish Pawnbrokers", the big comedy success which has made a wonderful record from coast to coast, will be the attraction at the Monessen opera house tonight. This is the fourth year of unparalleled success of this farce comedy, and an entirely new fourth edition by Mr. Edgar Selden is promised. There is said to be a well defined plot with rhyme and reason for the many amusing situations and complications that follow one another in rapid order. The musical numbers written for the skit and sung by the chorus in their gay gowns and pretty millinery form one of the most destinct novelties ever offered in a farce comedy. The famous farce comedy stars, Davis and Mack, head the list and will be assisted by Baroness Von Zeiber, Violet Hilson, Tony Murphy, Opal Wilson, Marie Dockman, the Danis Sisters, the Pawnbroker Trio, Will Rosay, Jas. R. Lee, and Tunis Conway, and chorus

Delerious Patient Escapes Nurse.

Clad in Pajamas and bare feet Jim Grum a delirious patent at the Westmoreland hospital of Greensburg made a break for liberty last evening during the absence of his nurse and succeeded in making his escape. Pursuit was at once given but all efforts to locate him have so far been fruitless. Grum had been delerious for several days and had threatened to cut the heart out of the nurse.

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The Man Who Laughed

[Original.]

In 1869, at the age of twenty, I left the east for the west and settled in Missouri. The morning after my arrival a man perhaps ten years my senior stepped up to me and addressed me. He had the pleasantest smile on his face I had ever seen on the face of any man.

"Howdy, stranger," he said. "I've hearn you're goin' to settle in the town. I'm glad to know it. We want good men, and we're bound to treat 'em right and help 'em along. I'm Cy Paddock. That's my shanty over thar. Drop in and see the folks. They'll be glad to see you any time."

There was a contrast between this warm western welcome and what a westerner would have received in the east. The words, the eyes and especially the smile assured me that, though a stranger, the man would stand by me in trouble as long as he had a cent in his pocket or a gun to shoot with. I thanked him for his kindly interest and assured him that I would call at his "shanty," a tidy cottage hidden among shrubbery and vines. He passed on, and ten minutes later I heard a musical laugh far down the street. It came up through the quiet little town like the song of a bird over a field.

"Who laughed?" I asked of one I was talking with.

"That's Cy Paddock. We all know his laugh here. It's the most valuable thing we've got in the town. Cy keeps up all in spirits. If it storms he laughs; if the sun shines he laughs. If any one is down on his luck Cy laughs at him, and the man of misery laughs too. He laughs with the well and with the sick, with the poor and the rich. You should have seen him when Stokes' store took afire, with forty school children on the third floor. The teacher lost her head, and the children were on the eve of jumping to the ground. Just then Cy walked up the stairs and, putting out the fire at his coat tails, stood before 'em smiling. It quieted 'em at once, and they waited patiently till ladders were brought for 'em to climb down and blankets for 'em to jump into. No, sir, we couldn't afford to lose Cy Paddock from this here town."

I, too, became used to Paddock's laugh. I heard it in the morning as I was going to breakfast, I heard it in the afternoon when the sun was flooding the town with that yellow light peculiar to the west, and when lying awake at night it has come to me, chasing away the gloom of darkness. Often when depressed I have gone to Paddock's house, where I was always sure of a welcome from his pretty black eyed wife and rosy children. The latter were growing up merrily under their father's cheerfulness. I wondered if any misfortune could spoil that father's laugh.

A time came when I saw Cy Paddock under a terrible blight. In the great secession struggle Missouri, being a border state, had a divided people. It was, besides, overrun by gangs of outlaws, who took advantage of the times to massacre and pillage. Paddock took the Union side and became the leader of an independent band to hunt down these guerrillas. I preferred this service to enlisting in the United States army and was one of Captain Paddock's lieutenants. I was curious to see how his laugh would sound in a fight. But, while we chased many guerrillas, we were a long while getting a fight out of any of them.

One day while we were scouting a band of cutthroats entered the town we had left unprotected and took possession of it for three hours. When they left the place was a wreck, and every one in it who had not been able to get away was murdered. Among them were the wife and children of Captain Paddock.

When we returned to the scene of desolation and our captain saw the ruin of his home an indescribable expression came over his face. Turning his horse's head in the direction the guerrillas had gone he dashed away, followed by his troop. Like "unmerciful disaster he followed fast and followed faster," picking up the trail, losing it, getting it again, till at last he cornered the retreating band, who had thrown up some dirt and fence rails at the base of a hill.

Scarcely stopping to form line of battle, incited by the fury of our leader, we charged upon them. I had not heard his laugh since our return to the stricken town. Now, instead of crying "Come on!" he laughed. But such a laugh. May I never hear it again. It was the laugh of Satan as he consigns a soul to hell. During the fight that followed I heard it again and again. Paddock, like the prince of darkness, seemed to bear a charmed life. Either this or the laugh he gave as he clove a skull or pierced a heart paralyzed the next man he attacked. I saw him kill several, and after that whenever his demoniacal laugh sounded I knew that one of the murderers of his wife and children had gone down before him. When the remaining half a dozen wretches threw up their hands and cried for mercy I wondered if his better nature would be touched. He laughed. The marrow seemed to freeze in my bones. The guerrillas covered their faces with their hands and turned their backs. Paddock waved us all back, and as his saber sounded on the skull of each he laughed a laugh that must have been worse than death to the next man to receive his vengeance.

I could not endure to remain where I would hear that laugh again. I volunteered and went to the front. Long afterward I met one who knew Captain Paddock and asked for information about him. The reply was:

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